

Appl. No. 09/845,513

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REMARKS

Claims 1-18 are in this application. By this amendment, claims 4-29 have been added. No new matter is added.

Applicant wishes to thank Examiner Siski for the courtesies that were extended to the undersigned during a telephone interview on April 9, 2003, in which a pending restriction requirement and this preliminary amendment were discussed. The previously pending claims were claims 1 and 2, directed to oxygen sensor analyzers, and claim 3, directed to a method for testing the performance of an oxygen sensor analyzer. The Examiner indicated that restriction between the apparatus and method claims would be required.

The new claims 4-13 are also directed to oxygen sensor analyzers, claims 14-18 being directed to a method for testing the performance of an oxygen sensor analyzer. Applicant prospectively elects for prosecution the apparatus claims 1, 2, and 4-13, agreeing to an Examiner's amendment cancelling claims 3 and 14-18 in response to an anticipated restriction requirement.

Respectfully submitted,

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